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Mr. Alan Stringer 317 Mineral Avenue Libby, MT 59923

RE: Permits at Flyway Property

Dear Alan:

This letter is to document that because W.R. Grace is conducting cleanup work under an Administrative Order on Consent with EPA, through authority granted in the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Cleanup, and Liability Act (CERCLA), that you are not required to obtain permits for riverbank work. When work is conducted pursuant to CERCLA authority, only the substantive requirements of applicable permits are required to be met, but actual permits are generally not required. It is your responsibility to determine what the applicable substantive requirements are and ensure they are met to the degree practicable.

We look forward to working with you on the cleanup of the Flyway property. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (303) 312-6748.

Sincerely.

Jim Christiansen

Remedial Project Manager